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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

TOWN OF ROCHESTER,

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION,

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 1ST,

1883.

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REPORT.

TOWN OF ROCHESTER, Cr.

1882.				
May 25,	Rec'd for circus license,			$ 10 00
"	" of Benj. F. Hayes, by note for bridge,			700 00
26,	"	Jacob K. Bickford,	"	200 00
June 12,	"	Meshach F. Drew,	"	600 00
27,	"	David Ramsdell,	"	200 00
July 1,	"	"	"	100 00
"	"	Rochester Sav. Bank,	"	1000 00
15,	"	Solomon Evans,	"	450 00
"	"	Elanor S. Evans,	"	100 00
Oct. 5,	"	Rochester Sav. Bank,	"	2993 47
23,	"	Nashua & Rochester Railroad Co.,		3012 48
	"	S. H. Burnham, billiard-table license,		9 50
	"	Fred H. Crocker, billiard-table license,		50
Nov. 4,	"	John F. Twombly, by note for bridge,		200 00
1883.				
Jan. 4,	"	state treasurer, insurance tax,		3 75
"	"	"	railroad tax,	772 80
"	"	"	savings bank tax,	5178 34
"	"	"	literary fund,	539 12
Feb. 16,	"	John F. Twombly, Leoina Smith,		8 00

Feb. 24, Rec'd of County of Strafford, aid rendered county paupers as follows:		
	Lena Ripley,	12 00
	William H. Randall,	49 50
	Carty children,	124 22
	James Riley,	33 41
	Mary Day,	65 00
	Jethro Pearl,	50 82
	Jerry Sullivan,	38 50
	Abigail Horne,	37 00
	James Barker's family,	9 53
	Samuel Willey and wife,	99 35
	Antonie Frederickson,	29 75
	William Mason's family,	70 25
	John Otis,	19 66
	Lizzie B. Swan,	18 87
	James F. Bickford,	18 00
	Peter Polan,	6 00
	Paul Vashon,	12 00
	William Meredith,	30 10
	Michael Vallie,	39 29
	Joseph Silver,	14 25
	Edward Maxfield,	32 00
	transportation and transient,	21 85
Feb.24, Rec'd income of Adams fund,		555 18
		$17,473 49

PAYMENTS BY SELECTMEN TO TREASURER.

1882.

May 25,	paid F. E. Wallace,	treasurer, as per rec'pt,	$ 10 00
"	"	"	700 00
26,	"	"	200 00
June 12,	"	"	600 00
27,	"	"	200 00
July 1,	"	"	1000 00
"	"	"	100 00

July 15,	paid F. E. Wallace,	treasurer, as per rec'pt,	450 00
"	"	"	100 00
Oct. 5,	"	"	2993 47
Nov. 4,	"	"	200 00
Dec. 16,	"	"	69 18
23,	"	"	3012 48
1883.			
Jan. 4,	"	"	3 75
"	"	"	772 80
"	"	"	5178 34
"	"	"	216 00
20,	"	"	19 00
Feb. 16,	"	"	539 12
"	"	"	8 00
"	"	"	270 00
24,	"	"	831 31
			$17,473 45

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Orders.

May 29,	paid Emma J. Wentworth,	treasurer board of education,	$ 500 00
June 30,	paid Emma J. Wentworth,	"	1000 00
July 3,	"	"	700 00
"	"	"	1000 00
Sept. 4,	"	"	50 00
Oct. 8,	"	"	250 00
Nov. 28,	"	"	3500 00
	"	"	500 00
	"	"	500 00
	"	"	300 00
	"	"	3655 61
			$11,955 61

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid Mrs. Mary Day and child, 65 weeks' aid,	$ 65 00
Elizabeth Holt, care of Lena Ripley,	12 00
Joseph Clark, " James Riley,	13 50
Geo. N. Howard, " Jethro Pearl,	41 75
James H. Edgerly, for coffin and robe for Jethro Pearl,	8 50
Frederick Feineman, drawers for Jethro Pearl,	57
Mary E. Hart, 11 months' rent for Jerry Sullivan,	38 50
William Rand, 1 cord wood delivered Wm. H. Randall,	5 50
Noah McDuffee, 11 months' rent for Wm. H. Randall,	44 00
N. Burnham, goods delivered James Barker's family,	3 00
M. L. Burr, goods delivered James Barker's family,	6 53
John W. Chessman, care of Samuel Willey and wife,	94 85
Rochester Grange, goods del. Abigail Horne,	12 00
William Rand, 1 cord wood "	5 50
Charles F. Walker, 1 " "	6 00
David Hayes, 1 1-2 " "	9 00
G. W. Springfield, 1-2 " "	2 50
Nat. Burnham,	2 00
Oscar Olson, care of Antonie Frederickson,	14 00
Elizabeth Holt, "	6 00
John Holt, digging grave and burial of Antonie Frederickson,	3 00
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for Antonie Frederickson,	6 00
Ithemar S. Howe, moving "	75
Eliza O. Howard, care of Mrs. William Mason,	30 00
Walter S. Howard, " "	20 00
N. Burnham, goods delivered "	6 00
Rochester Grange, " John Otis,	17 00
Dr. H. F. Pitcher, medical services for Lizzie B. Swan,	1 25
Simon Wentworth, care of and ticket for Lizzie B. Swan,	13 45

Paid Sayward & Co., goods delivered James F. Bickford,	9 00
Albert M. Cousens, goods delivered James F. Bickford,	9 00
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for Peter Polan,	6 00
" " Paul Vashon,	6 00
N. Burnham, goods delivered "	3 00
A. U. Nason, 1-2 cord wood delivered Paul Vashon,	3 00
M. H. Wentworth, care, clothing and burial of William Meredith,	51 50
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for William Meredith,	6 00
" " Michael Vallie's child,	5 50
T. E. Burnham, goods delivered Michael Vallie,	12 00
Geo. W. Springfield, 1-2 cord wood del. "	2 25
Geo. D. Palmer, " "	3 00
Sayward & Co., goods delivered Joseph Silver,	6 00
J. T. Dodge, 8 months' rent for Edward Maxfield,	32 00
Eliza A. Varney, care of Carty child,	117 97
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for "	2 50
Geo. F. Richardson, tickets for Ruth Watson and daughters,	4 50
C. W. Brown, ticket for Delia Gardner,	6 00
" " C. Nelson and J. Anderson,	3 90
C. W. Brown, ticket for a Frenchman,	7 45
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Mrs. John Carty,	4 00
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Carty child,	1 00
	$789 72

TOWN POOR.

Paid I. Cushing, wood and coal delivered Geo. A. Blackmar,	$ 6 75
Mary Hanson, board of William Hoyt,	20 00
Dr. H. L. Hamblett, medical service for Wm. Hoyt,	28 29
Augustus Taylor, care of "	21 00

Paid Nathaniel Wallingford, care of William Hoyt,	8 00
A. D. Faunce, coffin and services for "	10 00
Wm. P. Marden, time and expense, "	3 25
Ann Collins, care of Cullins children,	5 00
H. W. Roberts, goods delivered James Hoyt,	29 50
Wm. Rand, 1 cord wood "	5 50
Chas. H. Weeks, 1-2 cord wood "	1 75
Rochester Grange, goods delivered John R. Jenness,	18 00
Geo. W. Springfield, 2 cords wood delivered John R. Jenness,	9 50
Chas. Jenness, digging grave and making path,	3 50
H. W. Roberts, goods delivered Henry Wilkinson,	6 87
J. H. Edgerly, 2 coffins for Wilkinson children,	12 00
Salinger Bros., dress "	1 00
John D. Howard, services "	2 00
Emily Flood, services "	8 00
Mary Lane, care of Ann Keating and child,	71 00
Caroline M. Ellis, "	16 00
J. F. Sanders, goods delivered Jos. Laundrey,	19 00
Louisa D. Emery, care of Rebecca Rogers,	78 00
Emily Flood, " "	18 00
Elizabeth Holt, " "	64 50
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for "	6 00
Ithemar S. Howe,	1 75
H. W. Roberts, goods delivered John W. Smith,	56 00
H. K. Roberts, 1 cord wood "	5 00
Jonas M. Plumer, 1-2 " "	2 50
J. Farrington, medicines for "	4 50
Geo. W. Springfield, 1-2 cord wood delivered John A. Page,	2 25
Mary Smith, care of Mrs John A. Page,	1 50
Sarah A. Canney, "	3 00
H. W. Roberts, goods delivered Charles F. Wentworth,	40 00
P. H. Hartigan, goods delivered Charles F. Wentworth,	8 00
P. H. Hartigan, 1 cord wood delivered Charles F. Wentworth,	5 00
D. Hayes, 1 cord wood delivered Alice Otis,	6 00

Paid Patrick Lone, fitting wood for Alice Otis,	1 00
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for Monroe Otis,	5 00
Rochester Grange, goods delivered Isaac Jenness,	91 46
M. L. Burr, " "	1 00
H. W. Roberts, " Joseph Butler,	3 00
J. H. Edgerly, coffin for Joseph Butler child,	3 50
Sovereigns of Industry, goods delivered Harriet M. Jones,	27 00
I. Cushing, 1 cord wood delivered Wm. Clifford,	6 00
G. W. Springfield, 1-2 " "	2 25
Dr. F. E. Whitney, medicines for Mrs. "	1 50
Mrs. Joseph Cromier, care of Mrs. "	4 00
D. Hayes, 1-2 cord wood delivered Eunice Brackett,	3 00
D. Hayes 1-2 cord wood delivered Mrs. Thomas Downs,	3 00
Isaac Jacobs, care of Bennett children,	7 50
L. M. Douglas, 1 pair boots delivered George B. Jenness,	3 50
Rochester Grange, goods delivered Frank S. Dodge,	3 00
A. S. Parshley, rent for Walter S. Howard,	17 00
J. O. Hayes, digging grave and burial of Mrs. L. Smith's children,	8 00
Nahum Yeaton, goods delivered Emma Chesley,	56 34
David Hayes, 1-2 ton coal " Geo. Ellis,	3 75
Geo. W. Springfield, 1-2 cord wood delivered Geo. Ellis,	2 25
Sawyard &. Co., goods delivered Mrs. John B. Moore,	30 00
M. L. Burr, goods delivered Mrs. John B. Moore,	1 25
H. W. Roberts, " "	20 00
G. W. Springfield, 1 cord wood for "	5 00
Chas. Jenness, fitting " "	2 00
D. Hayes, 1 ton coal delivered "	3 75
J. F. Sanders, goods " "	10 00
Geo. F. Willey, taking John Hall to county farm,	2 00
Chas. Estes, taking Jonathan Miller "	1 50
County of Strafford, board of Ruth Sanborn at asylum,	130 36

Paid County of Strafford, clothing for Ruth Sanborn,	5 00
" board of G. Frank Page at asylum,	130 36
County of Strafford, clothing for G. Frank Page,	27 10
Dr. F. P. Virgin, six months as town doctor,	37 00
Dr. F. E. Whitney, "	35 00
S. F. Sanderson, school books furnished to children of James Garnie,	1 45
S. F. Sanderson, school books furnished to children of Mrs. Chesley,	2 25
W. W. Browne, school books furnished children of Trebau,	50
W. W. Browne, school books furnished children of Emma Liberty,	25
W. W. Browne, school books furnished children of Delia Mesarne,	50
H. W. Roberts, goods del. Mrs. John B. Moore,	41 75
" " J. L. Jolian,	1 75
" " Mrs. C. F. Wentworth,	32 00
" " John W. Smith,	24 50
" " James Hoyt,	24 00
Wm. Bell & Co., " Mrs. C. F. Wentworth,	16 00
D. Hayes, coal delivered Mrs. John B. Moore,	3 75
Geo. F. Willey, moving Rebecca Rogers,	3 00
V. H. Leighton, rent for Walter S. Howard,	10 00
Hannah Collins, care of Keating child,	5 34
S. Wolf & Co., goods delivered Walter B. Ellis,	4 15
" " John W. Smith,	2 00
" " a poor stranger,	75
Worcester & Greenfield, school books delivered to poor children,	10 53
V. H. Leighton, rent for Walter S. Howard,	20 00
Wm. H. Babb, 2 trips to Great Falls and bringing body of Wm. Hoyt to Rochester,	7 00
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Nellie, Harry, Bessie and Charlie Wilkinson,	12 00
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Wm. Hoyt,	2 00
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of John R. Jenness,	3 00

Paid James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Monroe Otis,	3 00
D. B. Waldron, beef for Wilkinson family,	40
Geo. D. Palmer, 1-2 cord wood delivered Mrs. John B. Moore,	3 90
V. H. Leighton, rent for Walter S. Howard,	20 00
Nahum Yeaton, goods delivered Emma Chesley,	3 00
" " Alice Otis,	6 00
A. U. Nason, 1 cord wood delivered H. M. Jones,	6 00
A. U. Nason, 1-4 cord wood delivered Walter B. Ellis,	1 00
Wm. Bell & Co., goods delivered Mrs. C. F. Wentworth,	8 14
Geo. D. Palmer, 1-2 cord wood delivered Mrs. John B. Moore,	3 90
James Hurd, use of hearse and burial of Rebecca Rogers,	4 00
J. W. Ham, 1 cord wood delivered Alice Otis,	3 00
John W. Roberts, assistance furnished family of John A. Page,	4 25
F. E. Whitney, school books furnished town poor,	1 85
Caroline Ellis, care of Keating child,	8 00
John Legro, rent for Sarah L. Tilton,	25 00
Ephraim Hammett, rent for John A. Page,	8 00
N. Burnham & Co., goods delivered Alice Otis,	5 00
" " Walter B. Ellis,	11 55
" " John W. Smith,	14 00
" " Mrs. Thomas Downs,	5 50
Mary Lane, care of Keating child,	6 00
N. Burnham & Co., goods delivered Albert Provensor,	2 50
Geo. F. Richardson, ticket to Dover,	30
James H. Edgerly, coffin and robe for John R. Jenness,	9 00
	$1693 73

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

District No. 1—Orders of Edward B. Mills, Surveyor, '80.

Paid Henry F. Bean,		$1 50

Orders of Charles W. Allen, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Geo. Tebbetts,	$ 75	
Samuel Roberts,	24 00	
Charles F. Roberts,	3 75	
Samuel A. Tebbetts,	4 50	
Charles F. Roberts,	4 00	
Amasa Allen,	9 00	
Charles W. Allen,	10 12	
Asa P. Roberts,	3 00	
Samuel Roberts,	3 75	
		$62 87

Orders of Edward B. Mills, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Henry F. Bean,	$ 6 00	
Frank Bean,	4 50	
Geo. H. Meserve,	4 50	
Edward B. Mills,	29 25	
Charles H. Mills,	3 00	
Samuel Roberts,	12 00	
Edward B. Mills,	3 75	
Asa P. Roberts,	11 25	
Charles H. Mills,	6 75	
Amasa Allen,	10 87	
Charles W. Allen,	33 63	
Levi W. Allen,	3 00	
Geo. F. Tebbetts,	4 50	
John A. Tebbetts,	3 00	
Edward B. Mills,	14 25	
Geo. Tebbetts,	4 50	
Samuel Meserve,	7 50	
Samuel Roberts,	5 98	
Charles W. Allen,	17 50	
		$185 73

District No. 2—Orders of Thomas C. Hoyt, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Isaac F. Jacobs,	$3 75	
John W. Clark,	3 00	
Isaac F. Jacobs,	2 25	
T. C. Hoyt,	2 62	
Sylvester Clark,	5 40	
		$17 02

Orders of John W. Clark, Surveyor, '82.

Paid John W. Clark,	$8 25	
Isaac F. Jacobs,	7 50	
T. C. Hoyt,	3 75	
John W. Clark,	2 50	
Sylvester Clark,	6 00	
		$28 00

District No. 3—Orders of Lorenzo McCrillis, Surveyor, '81.

Paid James Corson,	$10 00	
Moses Wallingford,	13 50	
W. P. Folsom,	18 00	
Sewell Shorey,	3 00	
Lorenzo McCrillis,	25 50	
Wm. P. Abbott,	18 00	
Charles W. Chisholm,	11 25	
John S. Preston,	4 00	
Jeremiah Shorey,	37 00	
Jesse F. Furbush,	5 00	
Joel McCrillis,	3 00	
		$148 25

Orders of William P. Abbott, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Willard Corson,	$ 4 90
Charles H. Shorey,	6 00
Orin Q. Hoyt,	4 50
W. P. Folsom,	11 25

Paid Geo. E. Jacobs,	4 50	
Edward B. Mills,	9 00	
Wm. P. Folsom,	15 30	
Frank Horne,	20 70	
John F. Abbott,	42 15	
Wm. P Abbott,	75 00	
Isaac F. Jacobs,	3 00	
Moses Wallingford,	40 20	
Warren C. Jones,	12 45	
James Walker,	22 12	
Amos Wallingford,	3 00	
Horace M. Shorey,	6 00	
John P. Jones,	6 15	
James F. Hoyt,	8 25	
Stephen Farnum,	1 50	
Lafayette Young,	4 12	
Fred Varney,	10 50	
Frank Sleeper,	19 80	
Zimri Corson,	2 70	
Isaac F. Jacobs,	11 00	
Mary S. Abbott,	2 25	
		$346 34

District No. 4—Orders of G. H. Springfield, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Geo. H. Springfield,	$10 50	
Geo. Leighton,	15 75	
John Bickford,	16 87	
J. F. Twombly,	7 00	
Geo. W. Springfield,	37 50	
		$87 62

Orders of John Bickford, Surveyor, '82.

Paid John Holt,	$ 1 87	
Ezekiel Wentworth,	75	
John Bickford,	49 50	

Paid Geo. Leighton,	16 00	
Dudley B. Waldron,	5 25	
J. F. Twombly,	20 25	
Geo. W. Springfield,	9 37	
S. D. Avery,	9 75	
Geo. Leighton,	15 50	
		$128 24

District No. 5—Orders of Wm. H. Vickery, Surveyor, '81-2.

Paid Albert E. Wentworth,	$12 75	
James Y. Emery,	3 00	
Henry S. Horne,	6 00	
Jonas M. Plumer,	29 00	
Geo. F. Bickford,	10 50	
Wm. H. Vickery,	31 50	
Hannah E. Gerrish,	20 50	
Henry S. Horne,	3 37	
Geo. F. Bickford,	2 25	
		$118 87

District No. 6—Orders of Chas. W. Willand, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Sherebiah Garland,		$3 00

Orders of Noah Willand, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Charles Tebbetts,	$ 5 25	
Noah Willand,	17 75	
Geo. Wentworth,	1 50	
John F. Torr,	52 25	
Robert Wentworth,	1 50	
Charles W. Willand,	21 25	
		$99 50

Union District—Orders of John Greenfield, Surveyor, '81.

Paid G. Hill Hayes,	$51 75
James Corson,	77 00
Geo. T. McDuffee,	68 50
James Wentworth,	42 00
Thomas Durgin,	38 25
John Greenfield,	30 00
Geo. A. Walker,	2 25
Harry W. Greenfield,	15 00
Samuel H. Cushing,	75
John B. Moore,	1 50
Patrick Lone,	4 50
E. Brownell,	2 70
Albert W. Hayes,	6 00
Charles P. Hussey,	51 00
John P. Crowney,	34 50
James M. Hartford,	7 80
Geo. W. Berry,	75
Michael Linnahan,	3 00
Michael Skelley,	1 35
John A. Horne,	6 75
Charles W. Sleeper,	2 36
Charles W. Nutter,	5 25
Edward Keggeon,	1 50
F. E. Towle,	3 00
Perry A. Watson,	1 50
Jerry W. Hall,	75
Patrick Reynolds,	75
Geo. F. Willey,	15 00
Clarence Howard,	25 50
William M. Ricker,	12 00
John W. Roberts,	1 50
John Smith,	8 25
Veranus Horne,	16 50
A. W. Hayes,	2 00
John Greenfield,	4 50
Silas H. Dame,	41 50
Geo. T. McDuffee,	57 00
Amasa F. Jones,	4 50

Paid Oliver Hussey,	9 38	
C. M. Demeritt,	3 00	
Jona. Watson,	1 50	
Geo. F. Willey,	33 00	
Charles Jenness,	4 95	
A. U. Nason,	47 00	
Geo. F. Varney,	1 50	
Seth F. McDuffee,	1 65	
Hiram Mace,	75	
Geo. Nutter,	3 00	
Henry J. Wilkinson,	1 50	
Wm. M. Ricker,	6 00	
Edward Keggeon,	7 50	
Seth T. Hurd,	13 50	
Geo. Bradford, Jr.,	2 50	
		$785 44

District No. 7—Orders of Lewis Smith, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Luke Tebbetts,	$ 15 00
Frank Smith,	6 00
Noah Willand,	1 50
B. F. White,	5 25
John H. Nutter,	4 50
Clarence Howard,	28 50
Ira Butterfield & Co.,	120 00
Asa Jackson,	6 00
G. A. Hassack,	37 50
Oliver Smith,	1 50
Richard Smith,	12 75
L. W. Smith,	15 75
Frank Smith,	37 50
Richardson & Warren,	247 00
Herbert W. Smith,	30 75
Lewis Smith,	51 00
Charles Jenness,	1 50
Geo. Bradford,	9 00
Samuel Jellerson,	7 50
Benjamin F. White,	1 50

Paid Edmund Frye,	15 00	
Geo. Nutter,	9 75	
G. A. Hassack,	7 50	
Theodore Bennett,	208 80	
James McDuffee,	3 75	
John Kent,	3 75	
Solomon Evans,	60 00	
James T. Nutter,	2 00	
Geo. F. Willey,	2 00	
Charles Tebbetts,	4 00	
John P. Crowney,	47 00	
Geo. T. McDuffee,	10 50	
John F. Torr,	20 00	
Geo. F. Willey,	5 25	
C. W. Sleeper,	2 85	
J. Thorne Dodge,	81 00	
Luke Tebbetts,	5 25	
Isaiah Wilkinson,	6 00	
Charles Jellerson,	3 75	
Geo. F. Willey,	4 25	
Lewis Smith,	16 50	
Geo. Bradford,	57 00	
John L. Nutter,	15 00	
Frank Smith,	9 00	
		$1237 90

District No. 8—Orders of James Wentworth, Surveyor, '79.

Paid William M. Ricker,	$ 49

Orders of James Hurd, Surveyor, '82.

Paid James Hurd,	$ 36 00
John H. Canney, Jr.,	6 00
J. W. Hall,	1 58
Geo. W. Horne,	2 00
Patrick Rogers,	5 25
Wm. M. Ricker,	9 30
Fred Gregory,	3 00

Paid Walter B. Ellis,	10 87	
Joseph Bluie,	5 63	
John Blado,	6 00	
Peter Fish,	6 37	
John Fortier,	13 50	
Henry Vashon,	3 37	
John E. Walker,	12 75	
Trefethen & Co.,	200 00	
Tebbets Bros.,	94 96	
Holmes Reed,	15 75	
Enoch Chamberlain,	2 62	
M. V. B. Wentworth,	5 00	
E. Hammett,	5 25	
Edmund Frye,	4 50	
Theodore Bennett,	145 50	
A. U. Nason,	50 00	
Solomon Evans,	6 25	
John E. Walker,	6 00	
Albert L. Furber,	13 50	
Geo. F. Willey,	2 00	
Geo. S. Nutter,	75	
Frank Hussey,	2 25	
Geo. T. McDuffee,	1 50	
Thomas Lane,	75	
Gilman A. Ellis,	4 12	
Geo. F. Willey,	5 00	
Gilman Ellis,	13 13	
John L. Nutter,	1 50	
Geo. F. Willey,	3 25	
Michael Skelley,	15 00	
Joseph Marcotte,	14 63	
F. P. Wentworth,	4 50	
Frank Smith,	1 50	
Patrick Reynolds,	2 25	
Joshua N. Cate,	1 50	
John Quimby,	2 25	
Geo. F. Willey,	1 00	
A. U. Nason,	112 50	
Edmund Elliott & Son,	73 00	
		$933 33

District No. 9—Orders of Edwin A. Bickford, Surveyor, '81-2.

Paid Enoch Chamberlain,	$ 3 60	
James T. Nichols,	4 85	
Enoch Chamberlain,	18 75	
Edwin A. Bickford,	12 75	
		$39 95

District No. 10—Orders of Paul Libbey, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Gershom H. Horne,	$ 4 50	
Simon L. Horne,	21 00	
James Jackson,	6 75	
Paul Libbey,	4 50	
Geo. W. Varney,	2 25	
James Burnham,	3 00	
Rufus Woodward,	1 12	
James T. Hanson,	75	
Samuel R. Hanson,	6 00	
		$49 87

Orders of John S. Hanson, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Charles E. Hanson,	$ 5 25
Charles H. Horne,	2 25
James A. Jackson,	4 50
James Jackson,	3 75
C. H. Andrews,	3 75
Rufus Woodward,	3 75
Simon L. Horne,	3 75
Samuel R. Hanson,	18 00
Benjamin Horne,	3 00
James T. Hanson,	3 75
Gershom H. Horne,	3 75
Albert M. Horne,	4 50
Charles E. Hanson,	3 75

Paid John S. Hanson,	12 00	
James Burnham,	8 75	
Geo. Fish,	1 50	
		$86 00

District No. 11—Orders of John Whipple, Surveyor, '80–1.

Paid James M. Murray,	$2 85	
John Whipple,	1 50	
Boardman Dunn,	75	
James D. Hayes,	2 25	
		$7 35

Orders of Ira L. Bickford, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Stephen E. Hayes,	$ 2 75	
James D. Hayes,	24 75	
J. F. Worcester,	7 50	
James M. Young,	1 50	
John S. Hall,	8 25	
Lewis McDuffee estate,	15 50	
Willie M. Chesley,	9 75	
Boardman Dunn,	75	
John Whipple,	1 50	
I. L. Bickford,	11 37	
J. D. Richardson,	15 37	
James M. Murray,	7 50	
		$106 49

District No. 12—Orders of E. L. Tebbetts, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Geo. Varney,	$27 00	
Charles F. Horne,	7 50	
Frank Varney,	9 00	
James N. Varney,	7 50	
Asa Y. Goodwin,	3 37	
		$54 37

Orders of James J. Henderson, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Isaac H. Twombly,	$ 4 00	
James J. Henderson,	15 75	
William Lucas,	6 75	
James J. Henderson,	25 50	
Lydia A. Warren,	3 75	
Owen D. Henward,	6 00	
William Lucas,	12 75	
Charles F. Horne,	29 50	
Geo. W. Varney, Jr.,	22 50	
		$126 50

District No. 13—Orders of Richard T. Rogers, Surveyor, '81.

Paid James W. McDuffee,	$ 9 00	
James McDuffee,	1 50	
Samuel Roberts, Jr.,	5 25	
Henry K. Roberts,	16 50	
Daniel M. Henderson,	19 75	
Charles F. Walker,	10 50	
		$62 50

Orders of Frank Calef, Surveyor, '82.

Paid John H. Downing,	$ 4 75	
Frank Calef,	22 50	
Henry K. Roberts,	19 50	
Samuel Roberts, Jr.,	8 00	
Richard T. Rogers,	24 50	
		$79 25

District No. 14—Orders of S. J. Wentworth, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Daniel McDuffee,	$ 30 75
Charles H. Dame,	33 50
Sylvester White,	2 25
Geo. F. Varney,	6 07

Paid Jeremiah Hall,	6 15
J. F. Bickford,	4 27
Patrick Lone,	2 25
A. S. Brown,	1 80
E. F. Dame,	2 50
W. M. Ricker,	75
Jabez McDuffee,	10 05
O. W. Hussey,	15 75
John Terrier,	75
T. D. Pickering,	80 90
Henry Preston,	6 75
Wm. Price,	10 50
James Teague,	10 50
Jabez McDuffee,	4 50
Henry Preston,	13 50
Patrick O'Brien,	4 50
S. J. Wentworth,	25 00
Fred Gregory,	10 50
C. W. Campbell,	21 00
Richard Rogers,	10 80
Wm. Price,	3 00
Christine Nelson,	2 25
Jabez McDuffee,	13 50
J. B. Shapleigh,	10 00
G. A. Hassack,	8 87
Charles Jenness,	16 50
Thomas McMara,	4 13
Woodbury Jones,	2 25
A. G. Chadbourne,	18 15
Walter B. Ellis,	7 50
John Canney,	19 50
S. W. Palmer,	69 90
Patrick Foye,	16 95
Wm. Colby,	22 20
Burley Hall,	23 70
C. W. Sleeper,	31 25
Richardson & Warren,	80 60
S. J. Wentworth,	59 00
Geo. S. Hussey,	7 13
J. S. Kimball,	1 75

Paid J. F. Hanscam,	18 00	
Geo. Corson,	29 50	
Trefethen & Co.,	300 01	
Tebbets Bros.,	13 02	
S. W. Palmer,	39 15	
F. I. Smith,	12 45	
Albion M. Lane,	4 50	
C. A. Demeritt,	4 87	
Geo. F. Varney,	1 80	
C. W. Edgerly,	16 50	
Seth F. McDuffee,	17 50	
Hiram Scruton,	1 00	
Edmund Elliott & Son,	26 00	
Geo. F. Willey,	5 25	
C. P. Hussey,	1 00	
Geo. F. Willey,	5 25	
Thomas Durgin,	6 00	
S. J. Wentworth,	15 75	
Burley Hall.	5 80	
J. W. Campbell,	1 65	
Geo. F. Willey,	1 50	
G. Hill Hayes,	39 15	
C. W. Palmer,	1 95	
C. W. Edgerly,	6 00	
Horace Baker,	6 00	
E. F. Dame,	75	
Patrick Foye,	6 00	
Geo. H. Ricker,	2 25	
Walter B. Ellis,	3 00	
Owen Carroll,	3 00	
Geo. W. Anderson,	11 96	
Isaac Jenness,	2 25	
Edward Shapleigh,	10 50	
C. P. Hussey,	85 50	
Geo. F. Willey,	1 00	
C. W. Sleeper,	3 78	
J. W. Campbell,	4 50	
Gilman Ellis,	9 00	
I. S. Howe,	36 00	
		$1492 51

District No. 15—Orders of Chas. W. Evans, Surveyor, '81.

Paid C. W. Evans,	$17 00	
Jacob Clark,	5 50	
John J. Evans,	3 50	
Geo. W. Hodgdon,	3 60	
Benjamin M. Stevens,	6 50	
		$36 10

Orders of C. E. Hodgdon, Surveyor, '82.

Paid C. E. Hodgdon,	$31 50	
O. W. Hussey,	18 00	
Wm. N. Hastings,	10 50	
John J. Evans,	14 50	
Benjamin M. Stevens,	21 75	
C. W. Evans,	3 75	
Jacob Clark,	3 00	
C. E. Hodgdon,	15 00	
Geo. W. Hodgdon,	6 75	
C. P. Hussey,	6 75	
John J. Evans,	6 00	
Benjamin M. Stevens,	6 45	
John J. Evans,	2 25	
		$146 20

District No. 16—Orders of B. F. Hayes, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Benjamin F. Hayes,	$73 50	
Wm. H. Felker,	15 00	
James L. Osborne,	16 50	
John W. Hanson,	3 00	
John W. Bickford,	6 00	
James L. Allen,	3 75	
J. Arthur McDuffee,	19 00	
John W. Hanson,	9 75	
Gonic Manufacturing Co.,	4 50	
		$151 00

Orders of J. Arthur McDuffee, Surveyor. '82.

Paid James L. Osborne,	$ 9 75	
John F. Hayes,	7 50	
T. D. Pickering,	17 02	
John Moore,	3 00	
Walter Gray,	3 75	
Geo. O. Berry,	3 00	
John F. Hayes,	11 00	
Benjamin F. Hayes,	38 00	
J. Arthur McDuffee,	92 50	
Wm. H. Felker,	28 00	
Geo. Roberts,	1 50	
		$215 02

District No. 17—Orders of Solon M. Woodward, Surveyor, '80–1.

Paid Geo. A. Bickford,	$6 75	
S. M. Woodward,	3 00	
		$9 75

Orders of Geo. A. Bickford, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Geo. A. Bickford,	$21 00	
Joseph L. Clark,	9 00	
S. M. Woodward,	18 50	
James Young,	8 25	
		$56 75

District No. 18—Orders of John H. Osborne, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Noah A. Jenness,	$11 50	
John H. Osborne,	8 25	
I. D. Hodgdon,	7 05	
S. K. Pickering,	13 00	
D. F. Jenness,	10 50	
		$50 30

Orders of T. D. Pickering, Surveyor, '82.

Paid T. D. Pickering,	$ 8 68	
D. F. Jenness,	16 37	
I. D. Hodgdon,	5 63	
Hiram S. Osborne,	5 63	
Noah A. Jenness,	9 62	
Wm. H. Babb,	13 25	
W. H. Y. Burnham,	1 75	
John F. McDuffee,	4 50	
T. D. Pickering,	15 00	
S. K. Pickering,	12 25	
Brackett Dore,	3 38	
		$96 06

District No. 19—Orders of B. E. Osborne, Surveyor, '81.

Paid J. E. Kimball,	$ 9 75	
J. E. Chesley,	20 00	
		$29 75

Orders of Walter S. Hussey, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Walter S. Hussey,		$17 00

District No. 20—Orders of Geo. W. Bickford, Surveyor, '81–2.

Paid Daniel S. McDuffee,	$19 74	
Wm. N. Hastings,	3 45	
David Bickford,	75	
Geo. W. Bickford,	46 71	
Geo. F. Pinkham,	12 75	
Alonzo H. Foss,	4 05	
C. W. Sleeper,	1 50	
		$88 95

District No. 21—Orders of Benjamin Meader, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Wm. W. Meader,	$ 9 25	
Thomas H. Evans,	7 22	
Benjamin Meader,	3 30	
Geo. W. Foss,	2 10	
Geo. E. Jenkins,	1 35	
Bickford Rand, Jr.,	75	
Daniel G. Ricker,	60	
Geo. B. Roberts,	60	
J. B. Foss,	2 25	
Edward H. Meader,	1 80	
Asa Meader,	2 25	
Eli Meader,	12 75	
		$44 22

Orders of Wm. W. Meader, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Daniel G. Ricker,	$ 6 15	
Benjamin Meader,	4 50	
Geo. W. Foss,	4 65	
Ephraim K. Meader,	17 10	
Wm. W. Meader,	15 00	
Thomas H. Evans,	13 05	
Elijah Brock,	2 25	
John Clough,	5 25	
Eli Meader,	25 20	
Asa Meader,	1 65	
Geo. B. Roberts,	6 00	
Rodney Cross,	1 80	
		$102 60

District No. 22—Orders of Charles Estes, Surveyor, '81–2.

Paid Eli Beede,	$ 6 00
Wm. C. Bills,	6 75
O. G. Higgins,	19 12
Henry Peaslee,	17 25

Paid Wm. H. Sanborn,	8 25	
James T. Higgins,	17 25	
Charles Estes,	21 00	
		$95 62

District No. 23—Orders of Richmond H. Clark, Surveyor, '81–2.

Paid Lewis Garland,		$3 45

District No. 24—Orders of Chas. H. Seavey, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Charles H. Seavey,	$20 00	
Jonathan F. Seavey,	5 75	
Joseph W. Ham,	2 25	
Andrew Daggett,	80	
		$28 80

Orders of Joseph W. Ham, Surveyor, '82.

Paid J. W. Ham,	$18 92	
C. H. Seavey,	6 10	
J. T. Seavey,	7 80	
J. W. Ham,	13 50	
C. A. Foss,	10 75	
C. H. Seavey,	16 20	
J. T. Seavey,	5 20	
J. W. Ham,	2 17	
		$80 64

District No. 25—Orders of Joseph N. Hayes, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Geo. D. Watson,	$8 50	
John F. Brown,	75	
J. Chesley Hayes,	5 70	
Joseph N. Hayes,	5 48	

Paid Elihu H. Watson,	6 75	
J. F. Wentworth,	5 40	
John W. Hall,	5 55	
		$38 13

Orders of Elihu H. Watson, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Geo. D. Watson,	$20 88	
Joseph N. Hayes,	9 56	
Fred S. Babb,	7 50	
E. H. Watson,	16 53	
Gonic Manufacturing Co.,	15 00	
Wm. T. Wentworth,	15 20	
E. H. Watson,	30 50	
John W. Hall,	18 20	
J. Chesley Hayes,	11 40	
		$144 77

District No. 26—Orders of Wm. Flagg, Surveyor, '81–2.

Paid John Downs,	$ 3 00	
Horace E. Foss,	3 00	
Geo. F. Babb,	1 50	
David Corson,	4 50	
William Flagg,	33 15	
James M. Garland,	3 30	
Geo. F. Babb,	18 50	
		$66 95

District No. 27—Orders of John W. Hurd, Surveyor, '81.

Paid John W. Hurd,	$29 25	
Samuel Howe,	9 75	
Geo. O. Pearl,	1 50	
Azariah Pearl,	7 00	
Mary J. Pearl,	22 50	
Daniel Swaine,	14 25	
		$84 25

Orders of Andrew W. Foss, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Daniel Swaine,	$16 37	
Mary J. Pearl,	15 45	
David F. Ham,	10 25	
Gilman A. Pearl,	1 50	
Andrew W. Foss,	31 55	
James F. Foss,	5 35	
		$80 47

District No. 28—Orders of Hanson Evans, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Lewis B. Penney,	$ 2 70	
Solomon Foss,	12 00	
Dexter S. Foss,	6 00	
Hanson Evans,	30 00	
William Jenness,	12 45	
Denman D. Scruton,	4 50	
Samuel F. Page,	75	
William Wallingford,	1 50	
Levi D. Bunker,	6 30	
Hanson Evans,	12 60	
		$88 80

Orders of Dexter S. Foss, Surveyor, '82.

Paid James Page,	$ 3 00	
Denman D. Scruton,	3 60	
Lock Howard,	3 00	
Lewis B. Penney,	3 60	
Dexter S. Foss,	50 65	
L. D. Foss,	1 50	
Joel F. Berry,	3 00	
Wm. Wallingford,	1 50	
Levi D. Bunker,	1 50	
Hanson Evans,	8 50	
Edward E. Evans,	10 90	
William Jenness,	4 00	
		$94 75

District No. 29—Orders of Frank Pugsley, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Daniel H. Scruton,	$ 3 00	
Atlas B. Howard,	9 41	
O. C. Tetherly,	26 38	
C. M. Hart,	20 35	
Job O. Howard,	5 25	
Willard Nutter,	10 76	
John H. Howard,	6 00	
Frank Pugsley,	15 60	
Charles R. Brackett,	2 85	
John A. Wilkinson,	6 69	
		$106 29

District No. 30—Orders of John F. Young, Surveyor, '81.

Paid William Ramsbottom,	$ 1 65	
Allen Twombly,	2 00	
Isaac H. Twombly,	8 75	
John F. Young,	22 75	
		$35 15

Orders of Allen Twombly, Surveyor, '82.

Paid John H. Ramsbottom,	$ 6 00	
Allen Twombly,	14 25	
Isaac H. Twombly,	20 50	
Wm. Ramsbottom,	6 00	
Isaiah Johnson,	6 00	
James N. Young,	3 00	
John F. Young,	29 00	
Martin L. Lord,	1 50	
		$86 25

District No. 31—Orders of John Crockett, Surveyor, '80–1.

Paid C. W. Dame,	$ 3 00	
John Crockett,	15 00	
Ithemar Young,	1 50	
John Grant,	75	
William H. Woodes,	75	
Patrick Halpin,	3 00	
James Tebbetts,	75	
		$24 75

Orders of Charles W. Dame, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Ithemar Young,	$3 75	
Goss Parsons,	1 50	
Patrick Halpin,	3 00	
Bidfield Meserve,	4 50	
William H. Woodes,	1 50	
Charles W. Dame,	7 50	
Geo. Thompson,	5 25	
James Tebbetts,	2 25	
		$29 25

District No. 32—Orders of Amasa Pray, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Albert S. Parshley,	$ 2 25	
Samuel N. Wingate,	1 50	
Geo. S. Roberts,	3 75	
Ezra Pray,	25 50	
Asa P. Hull,	1 50	
James H. Corson,	2 25	
Geo. S. Roberts,	1 50	
Chesley Blaisdell,	5 62	
Andrew R. Nute,	1 12	
Amasa Pray,	14 25	
Cyrus K. Curtis,	1 87	
		$61 11

Orders of Cyrus K. Curtis, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Samuel N. Wingate,	$ 7 50	
Ezra Pray,	24 00	
Chesley Blaisdell,	17 75	
Geo. S. Roberts,	6 75	
James H. Corson,	15 87	
Andrew R. Nute,	6 75	
Amasa Pray,	19 50	
Cyrus K. Curtis,	19 37	
Jesse C. Baker,	10 50	
Chas. T. Clark,	12 25	
		$140 24

District No. 33—Orders of Ira Wentworth, Surveyor, '81.

Paid Charles F. Hayes,	$6 75	
Jonas Wentworth,	3 75	
Charles T. Hartford,	2 70	
Geo. E. Hartford,	75	
Simon Wentworth,	1 50	
Ira Wentworth,	1 50	
		$16 95

Orders of Jonas Wentworth, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Geo. E. Hartford,	$ 5 70	
Simon Wentworth,	9 00	
Ira Wentworth,	1 50	
Isaac Wentworth,	3 00	
Jonas Wentworth,	13 50	
Mark Tebbetts,	3 00	
		$35 70

District No. 34—Orders of Geo. A. Bickford, Surveyor, '81–2.

Paid John P. Rowe,	$ 6 00
Ephraim Kimball,	8 85

Paid Geo. A. Bickford,	24 90	
Jacob K. Bickford,	9 75	
Otis Scruton,	75	
Joshua Vickery,	11 25	
		$61 50

District No. 35—Orders of Philander Varney, Surveyor, '81.

Paid M. H. Wentworth,	$19 50	
Morris Shae,	9 00	
Frank Gear,	10 50	
James L. Allen,	2 25	
A. N. & W. W. Daggett,	3 00	
Philander Varney,	18 00	
Albert S. H. Gear,	7 80	
		$70 05

Orders of Geo. Roberts, Surveyor, '82.

Paid Geo. Roberts,	$21 00	
M. H. Wentworth,	24 00	
Frank S. Dodge,	1 50	
A. N. & W. W. Daggett,	22 50	
John E. Moore,	9 00	
Geo. Roberts,	10 50	
M. H. Wentworth,	19 50	
Geo. Roberts,	4 50	
A. S. H. Gear,	3 00	
A. H. Gear,	3 00	
Lewis F. Horne,	3 00	
		$121 50

MISCELLANEOUS HIGHWAYS.

Paid A. U. Nason, lumber and cement,	$ 22 49
J. H. Edgerly, painting 2 guide boards,	2 00
S. H. Dame, 1 1-2 days' work, man and horse,	4 50
John S. Hanson, plank and spikes,	5 80
John E. Moore, work on Wadleigh bridge,	5 00

Paid Charles Willis, lighting Wadleigh bridge,	2 00
S. F. Page, labor and lumber,	22 81
Harry A. McDuffee, lighting Walnut street,	1 50
Lewis D. Ricker, lumber for Flat Rock bridge,	32 10
Elisha P. Gerrish, work and use of derrick, E. Rochester bridge,	10 75
Geo. W. Anderson, lumber for E. Rochester bridge,	102 60
S. F. Page, work on Flat Rock bridge,	4 25
Noah Willand, "	5 50
Asa Jackson, work on Isinglass bridge,	9 00
Walter S. Roberts, work on Brook bridge,	3 75
Samuel & Asa P. Roberts, lumber for Copp's bridge,	9 71
Charles F. Horne, surveying,	2 50
Geo. F. Willey, going to Gonic to notify surveyors,	50
J. T. Nichols, stone for bridge,	1 00
Warren Wadleigh, supporting watering trough,	3 00
M. H. Wentworth, "	3 00
Geo. F. Willey, cleaning crossing, repairing lamps, &c.,	6 24
James Cannovan, 1-2 day's work,	75
Martha A. Varney, land damages, widening Green street, E. Rochester,	75 00
Benjamin Wentworth, land damages, widening Green street, E. Rochester,	50 00
Lydia Rogers, land damages, widening Green street, E. Rochester,	45 00
Stillman M. Rogers, land damages, widening Green street, E. Rochester,	15 00
Geo. W. Blaisdell, land damages, widening Green street, E. Rochester,	15 00
Geo. F. Willey, keeping lights and fencing bridge, Market street,	18 27
J. E. Chesley, breaking "French" road,	2 00
A. N. & W. W. Daggett, supporting watering trough, 1881,	3 00
Hanson Evans, supporting watering trough, 1881,	3 00

Paid Geo. H. Tebbetts, work on Copp and Flat Rock bridges,	3 00
J. O. Hayes, work on Isinglass bridge,	13 00
C. M. Hart, supporting watering trough,	3 00
John Bickford, "	3 00
" " district No. 16,	3 00
John C. Shorey, iron work, E. Rochester bridge,	5 87
" timber, plank and boards, E. Rochester bridge,	101 73
John C. Shorey, work on E. Rochester bridge,	72 87
" plank for "	2 85
Geo. W. Anderson, timber for Isinglass bridge,	63 44
M. H. Wentworth, supporting watering trough,	3 00
Ann R. Dore, land taken to widen highway in district No. 18,	40 00
Hiram L. Osborne, land taken to widen highway in district No. 18,	50 00
J. Thorne Dodge, plank,	32 50
J. B. & P. R. Francis, work on Gonic bridge,	2 75
Willie M. Chesley, plank, timber and spikes for culvert,	3 77
Wm. H. Babb, work on Isinglass bridge,	14 00
" use of derrick and moving same,	9 00
D. B. Waldron, work on foot bridge, Market street,	10 00
Wm. H. Babb, work and timber, Wadleigh bridge,	9 00
Geo. W. Springfield, lumber for bridge,	34 38
James McDonald, work on bridge,	50
Edwin Wallace, 1-2 cost paving sidewalk, Lincoln street,	75 26
Lewis Smith, work on Wadleigh bridge,	2 00
John Whipple, supporting watering trough,	3 00
L. B. Moulton, 1-2 cost paving sidewalk,	23 85
J. O. Hayes, plank for bridge,	32 00
E. G. &. E. Wallace, "	168 99
Harrison Soule, bridge caps for E. Rochester bridge,	5 60
J. L. Duntley, 1-2 cost paving sidewalk,	33 00
Charles Roberts, plank,	100 89

Paid O. W. Hussey, work on foot bridge, Market street,	4 00
John S. Gilman, 1-2 cost paving sidewalk on Hanson street,	8 50
C. W. Sleeper, iron work on foot bridge, Market street,	1 50
Samuel & Asa P. Roberts, plank,	182 70
Enoch Willand, drawing timber and work on Cottle and Flat Rock bridges,	21 75
J. H. Meserve, timber, plank and labor,	38 68
B. & M. R. R., freight on sewer pipes,	46 20
W. B. Waldron, work on Flat Rock bridge,	3 75
C. W. Sleeper, repairs on wagon of Geo. F. Willey, damaged on Railroad avenue,	2 75
P. & R. R. R., freight on stone,	60 00
Silas Hussey, on contract, per order of committee,	4520 80
	$6302 90

It will be observed that the largest part of the above amount is for the new brigde on Market street, as per vote of the town.

STREET LIGHTS.

Paid U. S. Street Lighting Co.,	$309 52
J. Thorne Dodge, 3 months' lighting,	303 75
" 5 " to Feb. 19, 1883,	532 50
C. W. Sleeper, 2 lamp frames,	3 00
W. P. Ela, repairs,	6 58
Globe Gaslight Co., for lamps,	32 50
B. & M. R. R., freight on lamps,	1 30
G. F. Willey, shifting lamps,	50
" " and setting posts,	5 25

Paid G. F. Willey, lighting and care of lamps at old bridge,	4 80
C. W. Sleeper, 6 lamp frames,	9 00
	$1208 70

The town has now eighty-eight lamps in running order.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid W. P. Ela, supplies, Hook and Ladder Co., 1881,	7 17
S. F. Sanderson, supplies,	9 40
J. W. Thompson, repairs on H. and L. carriage,	2 00
Fred S. Dame, hauling machine to fire,	6 00
B. & M. R. R., freight,	1 85
William Rand, 2 cords wood,	11 00
C. F. Walker, 1 "	6 00
I. D. Hodgdon, wood delivered Tiger Engine Co.,	2 63
J. M. Hartford, fitting wood,	1 50
Eugene Smart, for keys,	5 00
E. A. Willand, services as engineer,	20 00
Frank S. Edgerly, treasurer, services of Cochecho 1,	400 00
John Rogers, treasurer, services of Torrent 2,	400 00
H. B. Eugley, " " " 5,	400 00
John F. Trickey, " " Hook and Ladder,	200 00
E. A. Willand, " " Pioneer Hose,	200 00
Geo. A. Bickford, " " Tiger 3,	400 00
John S. Preston, work on Torrent 5,	3 75
Yeaton & Co., supplies, Tiger 3,	2 76
True H. Foss, sawing wood, Tiger 3,	2 00
Joshua N. Cate, " Hook and Ladder,	2 00
S. D. Foss, 9 feet wood,	5 28
C. W. Sleeper, making iron box for Hose Co.,	11 50

Paid Geo. F. Willey, work at Cochecho house and clearing reservoirs,	2 00
J. W. Thompson and Thos. McCann, work on Cochecho 1,	3 00
Luke Tebbetts, watching fire,	4 50
Geo. H. Jackson, services as assistant engineer, 1881,	10 00
A. U. Nason, 1-2 cord wood for Hook and Ladder,	3 00
" fitting same,	75
R. H. Parker, repairs on hydrant,	1 00
Hunneman & Co., repairs and supplies for Torrent 5,	235 50
Hunneman & Co., hydrant fittings, repairs and suction hose,	75 75
Hunneman & Co., outlet, cap and coupling, Torrent 5,	6 75
S. Wolf & Co., rubber suits for Hose Co.,	56 25
Asa Jackson, sawing wood, Torrent 2,	1 50
Geo. E. Jacobs, watching fire,	3 75
Thos. McCrillis, clearing reservoirs,	2 00
" work on Tiger 3,	2 00
" " hydrants,	3 00
John F. Garland, watching fire,	5 25
C. H. Bragdon, work on Pioneer hose and carriage,	4 50
Geo. H. Webster, services as engineer,	15 00
Lyman A. Evans, "	12 00
J. Thorne Dodge, services as chief engineer and money paid out,	39 10
American Fire Hose Co., repairing hose,	1 75
P. & R. R. R., freight on hydrant pipes,	3 56
C. W. Sleeper, work on reservoirs,	1 25
J. C. Shorey, wood for Torrent 5,	3 38
Geo. F. Willey, work at Cochecho house,	5 75
" " Hook and Ladder house,	4 49
" " reservoirs,	6 25
" clearing reservoirs,	12 50
J. F. Sanders, oil for Hook and Ladder,	1 00
C. E. Harriman, repairs on pump at Torrent 2 house,	1 30

Paid B. & M. R. R., freight on Torrent 5,	10 80
J. Thorne Dodge, labor on hydrants, E. Rochester,	216 00
Davis & Farnum Manufacturing Co., fittings and labor on hydrants, E. Rochester,	222 48
John W. Tebbetts, board of Frank Davis while at work on hydrants,	10 00
Shorey's Express, fittings for hydrants,	3 15
J. O. Hayes, labor on hydrants,	7 00
P. & R. R. R., freight on hydrants and pipes,	40 82
American Express Co., castings and fittings for hydrants,	5 10
Davis & Farnum Manufacturing Co., hydrants and fittings, E. Rochester,	776 91
Frank Smith, watching fire,	11 25
Richard Smith, "	6 00
B. F. White,	2 25
John W. Clark,	5 25
Charles T. Clark,	5 25
Leonard W. Smith, watching fire,	6 00
Charles H. Weeks, "	6 00
Noah Willand, "	3 75
	$3965 68

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Paid W. P. Ela, supplies for lock-up,	$ 7 07
H. W. Roberts, "	2 17
Rochester Grange, "	36
P. H. Hartigan, "	1 35
Geo. D. Palmer, 1 cord wood, lock-up,	6 90
Geo. F. Willey, moving "	1 00
" building vault and cleaning lock-up,	2 95
Geo. F. Willey, special, May and July,	8 00
" witness fees, O. H. Gowen's case,	3 62
" " Geo. F. Guppy's "	4 39

Paid Geo. F. Willey, witness fees, Perkins' case,	3 62
" "	77
" mittimus, Geo. F. Guppy,	5 20
Leander P. Pickering, balance on services, 1881,	25 00
C. A. Allen, balance on services for 1881,	35 00
Nahum L. Berry, "	35 00
" taking Silas W. Clark to jail, 1881,	5 00
Nahum L. Berry, going to Dover after Silas W. Clark,	3 50
Nahum L. Berry, in part for services, 1882,	10 00
E. A. Willand, balance on services,	40 00
" witness fees in Whitehouse case,	3 00
" " Beecher's case,	4 05
John Quinlan, special, July, 1881,	3 00
John Bradford, May and July,	8 00
Chas. F. Horne, special, October, 1881,	6 00
J. L. Davidson, " September, 1882,	6 00
Sampson B. Foss, "	6 00
John E. Walker, "	6 00
Charles L. Ward, in part,	10 00
P. Hartigan, services and board of E. Tebbetts,	4 50
W. S. Lewis, police badges,	3 00
C. A. Allen, team to E. Rochester,	1 00
Geo. F. Willey, witness fees in Geo. F. Hurd case,	3 62
Nahum L. Berry, going to Dover after C. H. Clark,	3 50
E. A. Willand, special, July 3 and 4 and nights,	6 00
J. Shap. Allen, balance on services, 1881,	5 00
John McDuffee, rent of room for police head-quarters,	8 34
L. B. Sampson, services and searching,	26 25
Edward Josselyn, services in part,	37 00
J. S. Norris, special,	2 00
J. H. Pingree, special, July 4, 1881,	5 00
" services for 1882,	23 25
L. B. Sampson, services and searching, court and witness fees,	286 56
L. B. Sampson, taking Wm. Mason to jail,	5 20
C. W. Sleeper, repairs on lock-up,	10 50

Paid Geo. F. Willey, assisting in and serving complaints, and witness and court fees paid,	175 00
Geo. F. Willey, cleaning lock-up,	2 00
" carrying Dennis Moore to jail,	5 20
" repairs in police court room,	60
" filling 3 beds for lock-up,	1 00
" special,	2 00
Geo. Horne, repairs and whitewashing lock-up and court room,	4 00
S. W. Goodwin, assisting in and serving complaints, witness fees and services,	171 64
Thos. H. Gotts, services in part,	15 00
L. B. Moulton, services searching, court and witness fees,	47 00
John W. Bickford, services in full,	11 83
Geo. E. Walker, special,	3 00
Nahum L. Berry, services in part,	25 00
" assisting in and serving complaints, witness fees and money paid out,	44 12
John Greenfield, services searching and witness fees,	20 73
Samuel Jellerson, services assisting serving complaint,	2 00
Thomas W. Lane, special,	3 00
S. B. Foss, services assisting serving complaints,	8 00
James M. Hartford, special,	3 00
P. H. Hartigan, services in part,	60 00
Henry E. Allen, assisting serving complaint and court fees,	5 70
John Young, assisting serving complaint and court fees,	4 45
J. F. Sanders, supplies for lock-up,	6 60
Eugene Smart, keys for hand cuffs and lock-up,	4 05
Henry Wilkinson, whitewashing police court room,	1 95
John Bradford, services and witness fees in case of B. L. E. Gowen,	2 77
W. P. Ela, supplies for lock-up and repairing stove,	12 90
	$1326 21

COUNTY OF STRAFFORD, BOARDING PRISONERS AT JAIL, AS FOLLOWS:

John D. S. Giles,	$ 9 58
Charles Clark,	36 22
Thomas McCann,	1 72
Thomas Brahana,	26 58
Dana H. McDuffee,	6 00
Silas W. Clark,	25 16
Charles Clark,	39 08
Thomas Brahana,	11 58
Silas W. Clark,	15 86
Nellie Foss,	3 16
Geo. F. Guppy,	12 44
John A. Horne,	3 86
Geo. Ellis,	2 79
Dennis Moore,	11 72
Dana H. McDuffee,	11 72
Benjamin Ellis,	34 80
	$252 27

DAMAGE DONE BY DOGS IN 1881.

Paid Nathaniel L. Shorey, 3 sheep killed,	$12 00
Walter S. Hussey, 1 sheep and 4 lambs killed, 12 wounded,	25 00
John F. Wentworth, 1 sheep killed,	10 00
Daniel M. Henderson, 3 sheep killed, 6 wounded,	20 00
Asa Hull, 1 sheep killed, 2 wounded,	8 00
Frank A. Willey, damage to sheep,	1 00
Moses Wallingford, 7 sheep killed, 7 wounded,	55 00
James T. McDuffee, 8 hens "	4 00
David J. Sanborn, 2 hens, 2 turkeys killed,	6 50
Fred Hurd, 7 hens killed, 9 damaged,	19 50
Daniel G. Ricker, damaged hens,	1 00

Paid C. Henry Hayes,	3 ducks killed,	7 00
John H. Osborne,	4 "	8 00
John A. McDuffee,		2 00
		$179 00

BOUNTY ON CROWS.

Paid Arthur Varney,	4 crows,	$ 40
Herbert Varney,	1 crow,	10
Geo. Varney,	6 crows,	60
Elmer Garland,	6 "	60
Amanda Jenness,	1 crow,	10
Herbert Bickford,	5 crows,	50
Victor Page,	2 "	20
Charles Leighton,	1 crow,	10
Leonard Smith,	2 crows,	20
David Bickford,	1 crow,	10
Charles Watson,	5 crows,	50
James E. Ham,	3 "	30
Samuel Meserve,	1 crow,	10
John H. Roberts,	2 crows,	20
Wyman Hussey,	1 crow,	10
Scott Durgin,	8 crows,	80
Fred Goodwin,	1 crow,	10
M. B. Blaisdell,	4 crows,	40
Fred Roberts,	5 "	50
James McDuffee,	1 crow,	10
James Bunker,	3 crows,	30
R. T. Rogers,	8 "	80
Harry Roberts,	2 "	20
J. D. Richardson,	3 "	30
James A. Varney,	3 "	30
A. H. Foss,	2 "	20
Geo. Jacobs,	6 "	60
G. E. Evans,	4 "	40
Geo. Page,	1 crow,	10
Solomon D. Avery,	1 "	10

Paid Frank Pugsley,	3 crows,	30
William Chesley,	1 crow,	10
John W. Hurd,	3 crows,	30
W. E. Meader,	10 "	1 00
John E. Moore,	9 "	90
A. Jenness,	1 crow,	10
C. W. Gerrish,	7 crows,	70
John E. Chesley,	7 "	70
E. Peterson,	2 "	20
W. H. Cate,	4 "	40
L. Hayes,	3 "	30
W. H. Roberts,	4 "	40
Charles Walker,	1 crow,	10
Nathaniel Shorey,	3 crows,	30
John Hodgdon,	3 "	30
Ernest Goodwin,	3 "	30
R. Foss,	1 crow,	10
Irving Piercy,	1 "	10
Chesley Blaisdell,	1 "	10
R. M. Foss,	2 crows,	20
Frank Akers,	1 crow,	10
Peter McShane,	1 "	10
Jacob K. Bickford,	1 "	10
Isaac B. Jenness,	3 crows,	30
William Mason,	1 crow,	10
E. F. Dame,	1 "	10
Warren Otis,	2 crows,	20
Harvey Mooney,	2 "	20
		$17 40

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid C. W. Folsom, printing town accounts, blanks, orders, notices, &c., &c.,	$121 95
A. S. Parshley, insurance on town buildings,	27 00
" writing accounts, 1881, for printer,	6 00
E. J. Mathes, services as auditor, 1881,	10 00

Paid J. H. Edgerly, services as auditor, 1881,	10 00
John H. Osborne, rent of land for powder house, 3 years,	6 00
M. C. Lathrop, fee in action, Sherry v. Rochester,	10 00
Philander Varney, services as collector, 1882, in part,	200 00
E. L. Glidden, repairing pump and cleaning well, Central square,	4 25
Geo. B. Roberts, John S. Parsons, William Tobin, services as supervisors, March election, 1882,	28 00
Geo. B. Roberts, John S. Parsons, William Tobin, services as supervisors, November election, 1882,	36 00
Horace L. Worcester, services as town clerk, in part,	97 50
F. E. Wallace, money paid Jeremiah Smith for legal advice regarding town bonds,	5 00
S. D. Wentworth, attending court at Dover and money paid out,	12 90
J. Wentworth, horse hire,	36 75
James Farrington, witness fee and examination in Horne case,	10 00
Clarence H. Chamberlain, taking care Town Hall,	4 00
Henry Kimball, services as collector, 1880, in full,	150 00
Geo. F. Willey, services in getting a dog out of frog pond and burying him,	50
Henry Kimball, costs on execution John S. Calef and Rebecca Calef v. town,	11 67
Ezra Pray, services on bridge committee and money paid out,	8 70
Michael Carroll, witness fee in John Collins' case,	77
Henry Kimball, bill of 1881, drawing complaints and warrants,	5 00
Geo. F. Willey, paid lodging of a poor woman,	50
Geo. F. Willey, services in town meeting and furnishing sawdust and cleaning up hall,	6 50
M. H. Osgood, taking care town clock, 1881,	25 00
S. W. Goodwin, money paid witnesses,	20 00

Paid D. B. Waldron, paid for books and stationery,	2 75
" 4 days at court at Dover,	10 00
Worcester & Gafney, attorney's bill and money expended in cases of Sherry and Horne v. town,	500 00
D. B. Waldron, 2 trips to Lebanon and 1 trip to Milton, in Horne case,	5 50
D. B. Waldron, money paid Jeremiah Smith for legal advice,	2 00
L. B. Sampson, money paid witnesses,	17 20
J. Farrington, J. O. Hayes and S. D. Wentworth, services as health officers,	75 00
F. P. Virgin, record of deaths and births,	6 00
C. K. Sanborn, attorney's bill and money expended,	250 00
D. B. Waldron, for trunk for use of town,	3 75
Wm. H. Babb, 2 days at court and 7 days getting witnesses in Horne case,	22 50
E. J. Mathes, interest on note,	36 15
Worcester & Greenfield, books and stationery,	7 78
Rochester Savings Bank, interest on note,	49 00
J. O. Hayes, attending court 1 day in Horne case,	2 45
Nathaniel Cross, damage to pung and harness on highway,	3 00
Henry Kimball, drawing complaints and warrants,	2 00
E. L. Glidden, repairing pump,	50
H. L. Worcester, services as town clerk, in full,	32 50
John Legro, 1-2 bill of costs in case town and John Legro v. John S. Calef,	38 28
J. B. & P. R. Francis, labor on Town Hall,	19 02
Chas. H. Dame, witness fee,	4 47
Sanborn & Cochrane, attorney's bill and money paid out,	200 00
F. E. Wallace & Co., hardware,	72 02
Geo. F. Willey, lighting lamps on old bridge,	3 10
" sawdust, November election, 1882,	2 00
Wm. H. Babb, money paid for costs and witness fees in Horne case,	163 66

Paid F. E. Wallace, services as town treasurer,	100 00
O. B. Warren, for Sampson Post, No. 22,	100 00
Worcester & Greenfield, for blank books,	3 70
C. H. Horton, for binding "	1 15
E. J. Lane, for blank books,	4 25
M. H. Osgood, care of town clock, 1882,	25 00
C. A. Allen, damage to wagon on highway,	10 00
Patrick Hughes, damage to self on highway,	5 00
C. W. Folsom, printing check-list, notices, &c.,	93 50
J. B. & P. R. Francis, putting desk and repairing seats in Town Hall,	2 50
Geo. W. Fernald, surveys and plans,	7 50
Gershom H. Horne, repairing cemetery gate,	2 00
Charles F. Hayes, burying a cow,	1 00
Geo. F. Willey, removing nuisance from river,	50
" services,	4 25
Solomon Evans, services looking up E. Tebbetts,	1 00
James Farrington, record of births and deaths,	12 75
T. J. Sweatt, "	1 75
I. W. Lougee, "	5 25
Stephen Young, "	3 75
E. F. Gage, "	3 50
Solon A. Carter, state tax,	6024 00
Harry Hough, county tax,	7082 39
Jeremiah Smith,	13 00
J. O. Hayes, interest on note,	40 00
W. W. Brown, wood, teams, &c.,	24 40
Patrick Lone, fitting wood,	1 78
Geo. F. Willey,	1 50
S. F. Sanderson, books and supplies,	10 45
Copeland & Edgerly, execution of Catherine Sherry,	2993 47
	$18,963 96

SELECTMEN'S BILLS.

Paid for distributing inventory blanks,	$50 00
taking inventory,	90 00
making taxes,	75 00
receiving returns and hearings,	35 00
recording and distributing road-lists,	15 00
" collectors' lists,	10 00
enrolling militia,	12 00
enumerating school children,	30 00
revising jury box and drawing jurors,	12 00
appointment of town officers,	30 00
hearing on petition to widen Green street, East Rochester,	24 00
hearing on petition to widen highway in district No. 18,	8 00
hearing on petition to widen highway in district No. 14,	6 00
executing surveyors' bonds,	10 00
overseers of the poor,	50 00
return of railroad stock to secretary of state,	6 00
return of inventories,	10 00
making up accounts and settling with auditors,	30 00
keeping account with treasurer and recording orders,	50 00
warrant for 1 special town meeting,	6 00
" annual "	24 00
examining roads and bridges,	50 00
" records in claim of John H. Nutter for a bounty,	4 00
1 day receiving surveyors' lists,	4 00
looking after rebuilding of Isinglass, Wadleigh's, Copp's, Flat Rock and East Rochester bridges and bridge in district No. 1, over Salmon Falls river,	75 00
	$716 00

ADAMS FUND.

Paid Annie F. Howard,	$ 7 00
Betsey Waterhouse,	7 00
Mary F. Day,	7 00
Lydia Harriman,	7 00
Dorothy Jenness,	7 00
Louisa Corson,	7 00
Louisa W. Chadbourne,	7 00
Abigail Horney,	7 00
Eunice Brackett,	7 00
Elizabeth McFarland,	7 00
Lydia A. Warren,	7 00
Mahala Horne,	7 00
Mary J. Lane,	7 00
Betsey Twombly,	7 00
Deborah Canney,	7 00
Lydia Hurd,	7 00
Emeline Page,	7 00
Lucy L. Randlett,	7 00
Wealthy D. Jenkins,	7 00
Emma J. Rogers,	7 00
Winnieford Lynch,	7 00
Hannah Flemmings,	7 00
Olive Woodes,	7 00
Martha A. Watson,	7 00
Judith Clark,	7 00
Sarah A. Hurd,	7 00
Sarah Hussey,	7 00
Mary Roberts,	7 00
Lovey Hoyt,	7 00
Anna Selman,	7 00
Abbie Bagley,	7 00
Sarah L. Tilton,	7 00
Caroline Hurd,	7 00
Rhoda Roberts,	14 00
Mary E. Nutter,	7 00
Fannie Wingate,	7 00
Abigail Henderson,	7 00
Betsey Smith,	7 00

Paid Mary E. Abbott,	7 00
Louisa D. Emery,	7 00
Sevesty B. Page,	7 00
Jane H. Johnson,	7 00
Sarah Earle,	7 00
Olive Corson,	7 00
Addie N. Britts,	7 00
Sarah A. Downs,	7 00
Eliza H. McIntire,	7 00
Sophia Stevens,	7 00
Mary H. Foss,	7 00
Harriet Howard,	7 00
Elizabeth Waldron,	7 00
Abba Jenness,	7 00
Emily Flood,	7 00
Melinda Roberts,	7 00
Abbie Ham,	7 00
Hannah M. Hall,	7 00
Elizabeth P. Hussey,	7 00
Alice Otis,	7 00
Abigail T. Ricker,	7 00
Hannah Cole,	7 00
Lydia G. Lawrence,	7 00
Dorothy Libbey,	7 00
Sarah Nason,	7 00
Rebecca Rogers,	7 00
Abira C. Mace,	7 00
Sarah A. Foss,	7 00
Louisa M. Hayes,	7 00
Margarette Tuttle,	7 00
Ann Daggett,	7 00
Ann Clark,	7 00
Esther Yeaton,	7 00
Belinda Corson,	7 00
Susan G. Roberts,	7 00
Adelaide Place,	7 00
Charlotte Place,	7 00
Amanda Jenness,	7 00
Albra D. Hayes,	7 00
M. E. Tufts,	7 00

Paid selectmen, collecting income and looking after,	10 00
	$563 00

There is $23.77 of last year's income unexpended.

RECAPITULATION OF ORDERS.

Paid school department,	$11,955 61
county paupers,	789 72
town poor,	1,693 73
highway department,	8,927 96
miscellaneous highways,	6,302 90
street lights,	1,208 70
fire department,	3,965 68
police department,	1,336 21
damage by dogs,	179 00
bounty on crows,	17 40
miscellaneous bills,	18,963 96
selectmen's bills,	716 00
Adams fund,	563 00
board of prisoners at jail,	252 27
	$56,862 14
Amount of taxes assessed in Philander Varney's list of 1882,	$41,078 62
Amount due March 1, 1882, in Geo. B. Roberts' list of 1881,	4,233 45
Amount due March 1, 1882, in Henry Kimball's list of 1880,	111 78
Abatements have been made in Henry Kimball's list of 1880,	66 19
Abatements have been made in Geo. B. Roberts' list of 1881,	252 01
Abatements have been made in Philander Varney's list of 1882,	1,119 69
Amount now due the town on taxes as follows:	
Geo B. Roberts' list of 1881,	335 44
Philander Varney's list of 1882,	3,513 32

OUTSTANDING NOTES—MONEY HIRED ON MARKET STREET AND BRIDGE.

Anthony Nelson,	$ 800 00
E. J. Mathes,	900 00
Joseph O. Hayes,	1000 00
Benjamin F. Hayes,	700 00
Jacob K. Bickford,	200 00
M. T. Drew,	600 00
David Ramsdell, 2 notes,	300 00
Rochester Savings Bank, 2 notes,	3933 47
Solomon Evans,	450 00
Elanor S. Evans,	100 00
John F. Twombly,	200 00
	$9243 47

Amount of money in hands of treasurer, $4905 28

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY B. WALDRON, } Selectmen of
WILLIAM H. BABB, } Rochester.

We have examined the foregoing accounts, and find them safely vouched and correctly cast.

March 14, 1883.

JOHN LEGRO, } Auditors.
HERMAN W. ROBERTS, }

REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF THE

TOWN OF ROCHESTER, N. H.,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 2, 1883.

TOWN OF ROCHESTER, March 15, 1883.

At the annual town meeting, holden on the tenth day of March, 1881, the following vote was passed:

Voted, That the report of the Superintending School Committee be printed annually hereafter with the town reports and distributed.

Attest,

HORACE L. WORCESTER, Town Clerk.

IN BOARD OF EDUCATION,
March 2, 1883.

Dr. Whitney and Miss Horne were appointed a Committee to prepare the annual report for the school year 1882-83.

SARAH C. HORNE, Secretary.

IN BOARD OF EDUCATION,
March 22, 1883.

Voted, That the report prepared by the Committee on annual reports be accepted and adopted as the report of the Board.

SARAH C. HORNE, Secretary.

Board of Education.

WILLIAM RAND, *Chairman.*

SARAH C. HORNE, *Secretary.*

EMMA J. WENTWORTH, *Treasurer.*

FRANK E. WHITNEY,

SIDNEY B. HAYES,

WALLACE W. BROWNE.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1882–83.

Spring Term, 1882.

Schools commenced April 24, 1882. Schools closed June 29, 1882.

Fall Term.

Schools commenced September 4, 1882. Schools closed November 29, 1882.

Winter Term.

Schools commenced December 18, 1882. Schools closed March 2, 1883.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

To the Citizens of Rochester:

The Board of Education present the following statement in regard to the schools under their supervision:

The schools of the town have never been under better discipline nor supplied with better teachers than during the past year. Many of the causes which lessen the usefulness of schools, existing under the old system—or lack of system—have been removed. The success of the school depends largely upon the teacher. In too many cases, the only qualification considered by the prudential committee was relationship or friendship; sometimes cheapness; rarely, adaptation to the position.

Since the oversight of the schools and the election of teachers have come under the control of one committee but few incompetent or inexperienced teachers have been employed.

The tried and efficient teachers of the previous year were engaged for the village schools, and such changes as have occurred arose from resignations. We consider, however, that these vacancies have been successfully filled.

The frequent change of teachers has been a great obstacle to the prosperity of country schools. The terms

have been short, and the teacher has had scarcely time enough to learn the real standing of the pupils before the close of school, and the next term the same process is gone through by another. A number of changes was made during the year. Some excellent teachers resigned; in a few cases a change seemed desirable to the Board, but for the most part the schools have had the benefit of superior teachers, employed throughout the year.

It would seem that the advantages of the greater number of weeks of school would be appreciated by every one, but a panic has seized our friends of the rural districts lest their children suffer from a plethora of learning and—themselves from an increase of tax. There is an old saying that "Knowledge is power"; and it is true, other things being equal, that the knowledge obtained under the ineffective training of the country district school system does not prepare the pupils for the duties of mature life like the continuous, accurate drill of the intelligent teaching required under boards of public instruction.

That the progress made in the ungraded schools was not in all cases what was desired arose, in part, from causes not easily removed; the lack of thoroughness in the past, the great and unavoidable number of classes, the scanty supply of blackboards, and almost total absence of such simple school-room furnishings as maps, charts, dictionaries, &c.

In regard to the school-houses throughout the town, what words shall fitly describe some of them? Poorly built at first, now of venerable age and in various stages of dilapidation, the blasts of winter find ready entrance, and broken, worn-out stoves cannot warm the room, and profitable study is not possible for partially frozen pupils. In the village are still the inadequate, ill-ventilated rooms com-

plained of by our predecessors, and we leave them, a fruitful source of perplexity and annoyance, to those who shall succeed.

The first term of the year, the primary schools were crowded to such an extent as to seriously embarrass the school work. There were at least sixty scholars for whom there were no seats. This was remedied the second and third terms by taking a portion of the Hook and Ladder House for a Primary department.

The swarming Grammar School should be divided, but there is no suitable room for such a purpose. Of the large number of pupils who enter our schools, but a small number avail themselves of the advantages of a more extended course of study than the Grammar School affords. In view of this, it does seem important that proper accommodations and appropriate means to reach the highest attainments possible should be provided them.

There is, no doubt, in Rochester village a large number of children who should attend school, but for whom there are no school-rooms; a grave evil, when we consider from what class come the paupers and criminals, for whose support the community is taxed and from whose crimes the community suffers. There is also a moral aspect of the case well worthy of consideration. We *are* "our brother's keeper," try as we will to evade it. The ignorant, helpless children have a just claim on the older and wiser portion of society, and if, through indifference or penuriousness, they are not able to acquire the necessary knowledge to become useful and intelligent citizens, whose is the blame and who should rightfully share the consequences?

The High School has filled up to such a degree that new seats were needful, and a second assistant was procured. We believe progress has been made in this school.

The large school at Gonic has much need of better accommodations. Ungraded pupils in sufficient number for two schools are found in one room, and teachers labor there under conditions extremely unfavorable to success.

The schools at East Rochester have done well during the year and have given universal satisfaction, we believe.

Some of the country schools were discontinued a portion of the year, the number of scholars being small, and provision was made, where practicable and necessary, to convey such scholars to some other school. In a few cases schools were closed a short time on account of sickness.

At the close of the summer term a large class graduated from the Grammar School and received suitable diplomas. This, and the introduction of a new series of arithmetics through the town, are two important features in the work of the year. The judgment of some of the best teachers coinciding with that of the Board has led also to the use of a different series of writing books.

Early in the year, attention was called to a certain class of pupils who had proved incorrigible in respect to truancy under the efforts of teachers. This led to the employment of a truant officer. Owing, as above mentioned, to the lack of sufficient school-room for the scholars enrolled, the efforts of the truant officer were confined to those who were already members of the schools.

The Board has endeavored to expend the money voted for repairs as judiciously as possible. Improvements have been made in the heating of rooms, blackboards renovated and new ones obtained, school-room furniture bought, some changes made in lighting and ventilation, &c. In the opinion of the Committee some school-houses were better rebuilt than repaired.

Considerable interest has been shown by parents and citizens in visiting schools on the last day of the term, but it is much to be regretted that more visits are not made at other times, in order to see the daily work of the schools. This is the true test by which to judge of the value of the work done, whether it be substantial or otherwise, and the best means to learn how to co-operate with the committee and teachers to promote the highest welfare of the children under their care.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH C. HORNE,

Secretary of the Board.

TABULAR STATEMENT.

Schools.	Teachers.	Salary per Month.	Whole Number Pupils Enrolled. First Term.	Second Term.	Third Term.	For the Year.	Boys.	Girls.	Average number belonging.	Average Attendance.	Percentage of Daily Attendance.	Pupils Studying Reading and Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Higher Eng. Branches.
High School	Chas. E. Hussey	$1100*	68	67	68	75	37	38	66.9	65.1	97.4	68	....	..	..	9	31	75
"	Isabel A. Coffin, Ass't, 1st and 2d terms,	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	Annie E. Brackett, 1st Ass't, 3d term,	48	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	Nellie E. Whitcomb, 2d Ass't, 3d term,	36	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
Grammar School	James W. Applebee, 1st and 2d terms,	1000*	165	172	...	185	84	101	163.9	155.8	95.3	185	185	185	123	185	77	..
"	W. O. Plimpton, 3d term	100	....	....	170	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	Mrs. Jas. W. Applebee, 1st Assistant	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	Mary M. Estes, 2d Assistant, 1st term,	36	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	Ida B. Nute, 2d Ass't, 2d and 3d terms,	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
Wakefield-St. Inter.	Lizzie B. Cate	36	45	48	55	57	24	33	46.3	43	90	57	57	57	57	..	..	..
Pound-St. Intermediate,	Ida B. Nute, 1st term	36	51	....	...	58	27	31	50	45.4	90.6	58	58	58	58	34	..	..
"	Mary M. Estes, 2d and 3d terms	36	....	50	54	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
Main-St. Primary	Mrs. Carrie A. Bennett	32	54	60	49	69	37	32	52.6	49.3	93.3	69	69	14	..	..	..	..
Portland-St. Primary	Mrs. E. C. Gray	32	52	45	31	61	23	38	40.9	35.5	86.9	58	58	58	15	..	..	..
Pound-St. Primary	Annie M. Cushing	32	51	55	57	72	36	36	49	43 6	88	72	72	22	13	..	..	..
Wakefield-St. Primary	Clara N. Hussey	32	80	49	43	88	38	50	52	48	92.3	88	88	88	..	..	..	..
Maple-St. Primary	Mrs. Juliet D. Ward	32	73	79	60	107	48	59	65	59	91.8	107	100	70	..	..	..	..
Hanson-St. Primary	Alice Abbott, 2d and 3d terms	32	....	41	47	52	23	29	41	39	95	52	52	38	38	..	..	..
E. Rochester, Grammar,	William W. Hurd	40	26	33	32	41	25	16	29.7	28.4	95.7	41	41	41	28	32	15	..
" Inter.	Lizzie M. Boothby	32	36	34	32	54	23	31	32.5	31.4	96.4	54	54	54	54	14	..	..
" Primary	Ella F. Parsons	28	41	41	44	58	31	27	37.3	32.3	87	58	58	28	..	..	..	..
Gonic	Rev. W. W. Browne	40	82	86	71	99	53	46	67.1	60.6	90.3	99	99	66	66	20	12	..
"	Mrs. W. W. Browne, Ass't, 1st term	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
"	do., 2d and 3d terms,	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
Meaderboro'	Emma L. Perkins, 1st term	24	35	44	31	44	24	20	33	28.6	86.9	44	23	28	21	14	7	4
"	do., 2d and 3d terms	28	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..
Adams Corner	Celia A. Wentworth	28	25	32	30	37	23	14	27	24.3	90.1	32	30	23	28	12	7	..

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Salary per Month	Whole Number Pupils Enrolled																			
Walnut Grove	Nellie A. Jenkins, 1st and 2d terms	*	1	0	1		13	13	0	0	1	100	1	11	11		3	1	1
"	Georgia A. Garrish, 3d term		30			11													
School No. 3	Mary A. Varney, 1st term		21	0			7	1	1	1 1	1 1	100	1	9	6	3	1	1	
Dover Hill	Adelle A. Shaalton		30	13	16	0	16	0	16	16 5	5 0	31 3	16	16	14	13	13	0	0
Brick school house	Annie B. Fenety, 1st term		5		16														
" Dover Road	Alice L. Curtis, 2d term		31		16		15	15	11	16	11 5	69	5	11	11	11	4	0	
"	Belle E. Mann, 3d term		30			16													
Fickering's Crossing	Ida E. Jenkins, 1st term		31	0															
"	Sarah C. Horne, 2d term		31		13	15	16	6	6	11 3	10	90 9	16	16	12	6	4	1	4
"	Do. 3d term		30																
Rochester Creek	Nellie E. Wentworth, 1st and 2d terms		30	0	16		11	0	0	0	0 0	0 0	11	10	0	0	0		5
Upper Creek	Emma F. Watson, 1st term		31	0			30	16	16	15 5	11 0	91 5	30	6	12	6	4		
"	Nellie E. Wentworth, 2d term		30			16													
Dry Hill	Nellie M. Hussey		35	11	16	16	16	16	5	15 5	11	100	16	16	15	7	4	0	
Brookshire Road	Lizzie B. Wentworth		31	0	0	1	5	1	0	0 0	0 0	00	0	1	0	5	1	1	
School No. 13	Bertha L. Horne, 1st and 2d terms		30	1	0		0	0	1	1 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Four Farms	Mrs. Mary F. Hall, 1st term		31	16			15	7	11	16 5	15 5	91 6	16	16	16	15	7	0	
Farmington Road	Alice Abbott, 1st term		31	16			11	7	7	16 5	16 1	96 1	11	10	9	5	5	4	1
"	Mattie C. Wentworth, 2d term		31		11														
"	Bertha L. Horne, 3d term		31			11													
Chestnut Hills	Mary A. Hogue, 1st and 2d terms		30	15	15		15	6	6	13 6	11 0	81 5	15	10	11	9	6		4
"	Emilie Smith, 3d term		31			11													
North Rochester	Clara D. Hurd, 1st and 2d terms		31	0	0		6	1	3	0	1 0	0 4	0	0	0	1	1	1	
Milton Road	Ruth E. Hartford, 1st and 2d terms		30	0	0		9	0	1	0 0	1 0	0 4	0	0	0	1	1	1	
	Totals			1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000

* Annual Salary. ‡ Discontinued after Spring term. ‖ Discontinued at end of Fall term. § Discontinued during Fall term only.
¶ United with district in Milton.

SCHOOL STATISTICS FOR 1882–83.

1.	Whole number of pupils enrolled for the year,		1232
	Boys,		602
	Girls,		630
2.	Average number of pupils belonging to the schools,		1000
3.	Average daily attendance,		920
4.	Percentage of daily attendance,		91.4
5.	Average amount expended for each enrolled scholar,		$9.50
6.	Average number of scholars in each school,		38.5
7.	Average number of scholars in schools at Rochester village, East Rochester and Gonic,		56.75
8.	Average number of scholars in remainder of schools in town,		13.93
9.	Length of spring term, in weeks,	10	
10.	Length of fall term, in weeks,	13	
11.	Length of winter term, in weeks,	11	
12.	Length of school year, in weeks,	—	34
13.	Number of school-houses occupied,		24
14.	Number of school-houses unfit for occupancy,		7
15.	Whole number of schools,		32
16.	Whole number of teachers,		36
17.	Whole number of different teachers employed during the year,		43
18.	Number of teachers teaching the entire year,		24
19.	Number of teachers teaching the same school two or more successive terms,		30
20.	Number of teachers teaching for the first time,		6
21.	Number of teachers who have attended Normal schools,		4
22.	Whole number of different male teachers,		5

23.	Whole number of different female teachers,	38
24.	Number of weeks taught by male teachers,	136
25.	Number of weeks taught by female teachers,	969
26.	Average wages of male teachers per month,	$62.66
27.	Average wages of female teachers per month,	$28.64
28.	Number of official visits made by members of Board of Education,	438
29.	Largest number of scholars in any school,	110
30.	Smallest number of scholars in any school,	4
31.	Number of scholars who have not been absent or tardy during the year,	46
32.	Number of different scholars who have pursued the "higher branches,"	95

32. Number of scholars studying Reading and Spelling, 1232; Penmanship, 1220; Arithmetic, 991; Geography, 605; English Grammar, 381; History, 168; Physiology, 25; Book-Keeping, 58; Algebra, 54; Geometry, 29; Philosophy, 27; Chemistry, 17; Astronomy, 17; Botany, 7; Physical Geography, 19; Rhetoric, 23: English Literature, 9; Latin, 45; Greek, 9.

Treasurer's Report.

RESOURCES.

Appropriation by law,	$5271 00
Special appropriation,	6000 00
Literary fund and railroad tax,	684 61
Tuition,	38 00
	$11,993 61

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries,	$9565 94
Fuel,	655 95
Books, stationery and printing,	58 35
Incidentals,	343 75
Care of school-rooms,	177 82
Repairs,	907 82
General unexpended balance,	283 98
	$11,993 61

EMMA J. WENTWORTH,

Treasurer Board of Education.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OF STUDY.

ENGLISH COURSE.

FIRST YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Algebra, Book-Keeping, Physical Geography.
Second Term, Winter.—Algebra, Book-Keeping, Physical Geography.
Third Term, Spring.—Algebra, History, Botany.

SECOND YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—General History, Physics, Botany.
Second Term, Winter.—Geometry, Physics, General History.
Third Term, Spring.—Geometry, Physics, Chemistry.

THIRD YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Geometry, Astronomy, Chemistry.
Second Term, Winter.—Rhetoric, Astronomy, Mineralogy and Geology.
Third Term, Spring.—Rhetoric, Political Science, Mineralogy and Geology.

ENGLISH AND CLASSICAL COURSE.

FIRST YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Algebra, Book-Keeping, Latin.
Second Term, Winter.—Algebra, Book-Keeping, Latin.
Third Term, Spring.—Algebra, History, Latin (Grammar and Lessons).

SECOND YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Ancient History, Physics, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cæsar).

Second Term, Winter.—Geometry, Physics, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cæsar).

Third Term, Spring.—Geometry, Physics, Latin (Grammar Prose and Cicero).

THIRD YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Geometry, Astronomy, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cicero).

Second Term, Winter.—Rhetoric, Astronomy, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Virgil).

Third Term, Spring.—Rhetoric, Chemistry, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Virgil).

FOURTH YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Chemistry, English Literature, *Geography, and Reading, with Methods of Instructon, or †Optional Study.

Second Term, Winter.—Mineralogy and Geology, English Literature, Grammar and Analysis, with Methods of Instruction or Optional Study.

Third Term, Spring.—Mineralogy and Geology, Arithmetic, mental and written, with Methods of Instruction or Optional Study.

*In the fourth year provision is made for a thorough review of common English studies, with a view to prepare students for teaching.

†The number of Optional Studies is not to exceed two to any one class.

CLASSICAL COURSE.

PREPARATORY FOR COLLEGE.

Same studies during first year as in the English and Classical Course.

SECOND YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Ancient History, Greek, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cæsar).

Second Term, Winter.—Geometry, Greek, Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cicero).

THIRD YEAR.

First Term, Fall.—Greek (Grammar and Anabasis), Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cicero).

Second Term, Winter.—Greek (Grammar and Anabasis), Latin (Grammar, Prose and Virgil).

Third Term, Spring.—Greek (Grammar and Anabasis), Latin (Grammar, Prose and Virgil).

FOURTH YEAR.

First Term Fall.—Greek (Grammar and Homer's Iliad), Latin (Grammar, Prose and Cicero).

Second Term, Winter.—Greek (Grammar and Homer's Iliad), Latin (Grammar and Homer's Iliad), Latin (Grammar, Prose and Virgil).

Third Term, Spring.—Review of Greek, Latin, Algebra and Geometry.

Declamations by males, Recitations by females, and Compositions by all, will be required at least three times during each term throughout the Course. Instruction in Reading and Spelling will receive careful attention.

Graduates of any of the Courses will receive suitable Diplomas.